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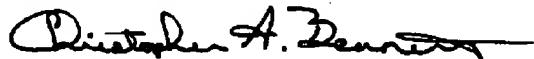
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Examiner Kwok:

Please find attached a Response to Restriction Requirement to be filed in the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,



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In re application of: Masaya TAMURA Serial No.: 09/886,667 Filing Date: June 21, 2001 For: COMPOSITE SENSOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME	Art Unit: 2856 Examiner: H. Kwok
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement issued on April 27, 2005, Applicant elects Group I, including Claims 1-9 for prosecution in the present application. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant hereby reserves the right to file a Divisional Application to pursue prosecution of the non-elected claims 10-17.

Applicant respectfully submits that this application is in condition for allowance.

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Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the present application are respectfully requested.

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